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TITLE: Genes with differential expression profile  
between human dental pulp stem cells and mesenchymal  
stem cells and use for regenerating tooth germ  
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AB The present invention relates to a group of genes whose expression profile are different between human dental pulp stem cells and mesenchymal stem cells, as well as a method for regenerating tooth germ using these genes. According to the present invention, the gene expression profiles and cluster anal. between human dental pulp stem cells (hDPSCs) and mesenchymal stem cells (hMSCs) as representative populations of odontoprogenitor and osteoprogenitor cell were revealed, and a group of genes whose expression profile are different between human dental pulp stem cells and mesenchymal stem cells was identified. By utilizing the groups of the genes of the present invention together with the dental pulp stem cells and mesenchymal stem cells, hard tissue such as tooth germ, dental pulp, dentin or bone can be regenerated. The present inventors investigated the gene expression profiles and cluster anal. between human dental pulp stem cells (hDPSCs) and mesenchymal stem cells (hMSCs) as representative populations of odontoprogenitor and osteoprogenitor cells, resp. At first, the present inventors confirmed the differential expression of Alk. phosphatase (ALP) activity, Dentin matrix protein 1 (DMP 1), Dentin phosphosialoprotein (DSPP) using by real time reverse-transcriptase polymerase chain reaction (RT-PCR) in total RNA from primary cultures. The no. of genes in hDPSCs(I) that were up-regulated by 2>-fold, compared to hMSCs, was 614 (Table, IV). On the other band, the no. of genes down regulated by <2-fold in hDPSCs (I) was 296 (Table III, IV).

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TITLE: Obestatin promotes survival of pancreatic beta-

cells and human islets and induces expression of genes involved in the regulation of beta-cell mass and function

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AB OBJECTIVE - Obestatin is a newly discovered peptide encoded by the ghrelin gene whose biological functions are poorly understood. We investigated obestatin effect on survival of beta-cells and human pancreatic islets and the underlying signaling pathways.

RESEARCH DESIGN AND METHODS - beta-Cells and human islets were used to assess obestatin effect on cell proliferation, survival, apoptosis, intracellular signaling, and gene expression.

RESULTS - Obestatin showed specific binding on HIT-T15 and INS-IE beta-cells, bound to glucagon-like peptide-1 receptor (GLP-1R), and

recognized ghrelin binding sites. Obestatin exerted proliferative, survival, and antiapoptotic effects under serum-deprived conditions and interferon-gamma/tumor necrosis factor-alpha/interleukin-1 beta treatment, particularly at pharmacological concentrations. Ghrelin receptor \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* [D-Lys(3)]-growth hormone releasing peptide-6 and anti-ghrelin antibody prevented obestatin-induced survival in beta-cells and human islets. beta-Cells and islet cells released obestatin, and addition of anti-obestatin antibody reduced their viability. Obestatin increased beta-cell cAMP and activated extracellular signal-related kinase 1/2 (ERK1/2) and phosphatidylinositol 3-kinase (PI 3-kinase)/Akt;; its antiapoptotic effect was blocked by inhibition of adenylyl cyclase/cAMP/protein kinase A (PKA), PI 3-kinase/Akt, and ERK1/2 signaling. Moreover, obestatin upregulated GLP-1R mRNA and insulin receptor substrate-2 (IRS-2) expression and phosphorylation. The GLP-1R \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* exendin-(9-39) reduced obestatin effect on beta-cell survival. In human islets, obestatin, whose immunoreactivity colocalized with that of ghrelin, promoted cell survival and blocked cytokine-induced apoptosis through cAMP increase and involvement of adenylyl cyclase/cAMP/PKA signaling. Moreover, obestatin 1) induced PI 3-kinase/Akt, ERK1/2, and also cAMP response element-binding protein phosphorylation; 2) stimulated insulin secretion and gene expression; and 3) upregulated GLP-1R, IRS-2, pancreatic and duodenal homeobox-1, and glucokinase mRNA.

CONCLUSIONS - These results indicate that obestatin promotes beta-cell and human islet cell survival and stimulates the expression of main regulatory beta-cell genes, identifying a new role for this peptide within the endocrine pancreas.

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 DUPLICATE 1  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2008-C47219 [18] WPIDS  
 DOC. NO. CPI: C2008-075334 [18]  
 TITLE: Identifying compounds that enhance glucose control  
 and are effective for preventing or treating  
 pathologies related with an impaired carbohydrate metabolism,  
 e.g. diabetes, by using G protein coupled receptor 39 ( \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* ) protein  
 DERWENT CLASS: B04; D16  
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COUNTRY COUNT: 119

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WO 2007141322	A1	WO 2007-EP55636	20070608

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NOVELTY - Identifying compounds that enhance glucose control in a subject and which are effective for preventing and/or treating pathologies related with an impaired carbohydrate metabolism, in particular in the prevention and/or treatment of diabetes including its associated complications, or of the metabolic syndrome including its associated complications, comprises the use of all or part of the \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* protein.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are:

(1) a method for identifying a compound that enhances glucose regulation in a subject and which are effective for preventing and/or treating pathologies related with an impaired carbohydrate metabolism, in particular in the prevention and/or treatment of diabetes including its associated complications, or of the metabolic syndrome including its associated complications;

(2) a method to identify compounds that modulate carbohydrate metabolism;

(3) use of an isolated nucleic acid sequence selected from:

(a) a nucleic acid sequence encoding all or part of the polypeptides of SEQ ID NO. 2 or 4; (b) a nucleic acid sequence comprising SEQ ID NO. 1 or 3; or

(c) a nucleic acid sequence having at least 80% sequence identity to SEQ ID NO. 1 or 3, for the method above;

(4) use a vector comprising the nucleic acid sequence, for the method above;

(5) use of a host cell comprising the nucleic acid sequence or vector, for the method above;

(6) a pharmaceutical composition for the treatment of impaired

glucose control in a human or animal comprising a \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*  
receptor  
\*\*\*agonist\*\*\* or \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* ;  
(7) use of a \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* or  
\*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* in the manufacture of a medicament for the  
treatment of  
a disease condition related to an impaired carbohydrate metabolism,  
in  
particular diabetes (including associated complications), including  
Type 1  
(insulin-dependent or IDDM), Type 2 (non-insulin-dependent diabetes  
mellitus), maturity-onset diabetes of the young (MODY), and  
gestational  
diabetes;  
(8) a diagnostic product comprising an isolated nucleic acid  
sequence selected from: (a) a nucleic acid sequence encoding all or  
part  
of the polypeptides of SEQ ID NO. 2 or 4; (b) a nucleic acid  
sequence  
comprising SEQ ID NO. 1 or 3; or (c) a nucleic acid sequence having  
at  
least 80% sequence identity to SEQ ID NO. 1 or 3; and  
(9) a diagnostic product comprising all or part of the  
\*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* receptor protein.  
ACTIVITY - Antidiabetic. No biological data given.  
MECHANISM OF ACTION - \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* - \*\*\*Agonist\*\*\* ;  
\*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* - \*\*\*Antagonist\*\*\* .  
USE - The methods, isolated nucleic acid sequence, vector,  
and host  
cell are useful for identifying compounds that enhance glucose  
control in  
a subject and which are effective for preventing and/or treating  
pathologies related with an impaired carbohydrate metabolism, in  
particular in the prevention and/or treatment of diabetes including  
its  
associated complications, or of the metabolic syndrome including  
its  
associated complications. The \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* or  
\*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* is useful in the manufacture of a medicament  
for the  
treatment of a disease condition related to an impaired  
carbohydrate  
metabolism, in particular diabetes (including associated  
complications),  
including Type 1 (insulin-dependent or IDDM), Type 2 (non-insulin-  
dependent diabetes mellitus), maturity-onset diabetes of the young  
(MODY),  
and gestational diabetes (all claimed).

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DUPLICATE 2  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2007-373447 [35] WPIDS  
DOC. NO. CPI: C2007-135335 [35]  
TITLE: Use of the triazole compound in the manufacture of  
a  
medicament for the treatment or prophylaxis of  
e.g. acute  
fatigue syndrome, adipogenesis, adiposity,  
Alzheimer's  
disease, anorexia

DERWENT CLASS: B02; B03; C02  
 INVENTOR: BOEGLIN D; DEMANGE L; FEHRENTZ J; MARTINEZ J;  
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EP 1757290	A1	20070228 (200735)	EN		
US 20070037857	A1	20070215 (200737)	EN	123[46]	
US 20070208061	A2	20070906 (200760)	EN		

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WO 2007020013	A2	WO 2006-EP7945	20060811
US 20070037857	A1 Provisional	US 2005-707941P	20050815
EP 1757290	A1	EP 2005-17732	20050816
US 20070037857	A1 Provisional	US 2005-708543P	20050816
US 20070037857	A1	US 2006-502473	20060811
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US 20070208061	A2 Provisional	US 2006-787543P	20060331
US 20070208061	A2	US 2006-502473	20060811

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 US 2005-707941P 20050815  
 EP 2005-17732 20050816

AN 2007-373447 [35] WPIDS  
 AB WO 2007020013 A2 UPAB: 20070604

NOVELTY - In the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment or prophylaxis of conditions in mammals that are mediated by Growth hormone secretagogue (GHS) receptors, a triazole compound is used.  
 DETAILED DESCRIPTION - In the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment or prophylaxis of physiological and/or pathophysiological conditions in mammals that are mediated by GHS receptors, a triazole compound of formula (I) is used.  

$$R1, R2 = (\text{cyclo})\text{alkyl}, \text{cycloalkylalkyl}, (\text{hetero})\text{aryl}, (\text{hetero})\text{arylalkyl}, \text{heterocyclyl}, \text{heterocyclylalkyl} \text{ (all optionally tri-substituted by G), H, alkenyl, alkynyl, (aryl)alkylsulfonfyl or arylsulfonfyl (preferably (aryl)alkyl, (hetero)aryl or heteroarylalkyl (all optionally mono- - tri-substituted by G))};$$

$$G = \text{halo, N3, CN, NR/R8, OH, NO2, (aryl)alkyl, aryl, O-(aryl)alkyl or O-aryl};$$

$$R3, R4 = \text{H or E};$$

E=alkyl, (hetero)aryl, heterocyclyl, Q1, (aryl)alkylsulfonyl,  
 arylsulfonyl, alkyl-S-alkyl or alkyl-S-H (all are optionally mono -  
 tri-substituted in the (hetero)aryl, (hetero)arylalkyl,  
 heterocyclyl  
 and/or heterocyclylalkyl group by G) (preferably Q1 optionally mono  
 -  
 tri-substituted in the (hetero)aryl, (hetero)arylalkyl,  
 heterocyclyl and  
 heterocyclylalkyl group by G);  
 Q1=(hetero)arylalkyl, heterocyclylalkyl, alkyl-O-(hetero)  
 aryl,  
 alkyl-O-(hetero)arylalkyl, alkyl-O-heterocyclyl, alkyl-O-  
 heterocyclylalkyl, alkyl-CO-(hetero)aryl, alkyl-CO-(hetero)  
 arylalkyl,  
 alkyl-CO-heterocyclyl, alkyl-CO-heterocyclylalkyl, alkyl-C(O)O-  
 (hetero)aryl, alkyl-C(O)O-(hetero)arylalkyl, alkyl-C(O)O-  
 heterocyclyl,  
 alkyl-C(O)O- heterocyclylalkyl, alkyl-CO-NH2, alkyl-CO-OH, alkyl-  
 NH2 or  
 alkyl-NH-C(NH)-NH2;  
 R5=H, (cyclo)alkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, (hetero)aryl,  
 (hetero)arylalkyl, heterocyclyl, heterocyclylalkyl, CO-(aryl)alkyl,  
 CO-cycloalkyl, CO-cycloalkylalkyl, CO-(hetero)aryl, CO-  
 heteroarylalkyl,  
 CO-heterocyclyl, CO-heterocyclylalkyl, - CO-Casterisk(R9R10)-NH2,  
 CO-CH2-Casterisk(R9R10)-NH2, CO-Casterisk(R9R10)-CH2-NH2,  
 (aryl)alkylsulfonyl, arylsulfonyl (all optionally mono- tri-  
 substituted  
 by G) (preferably H, CO-(cyclo)alkyl, CO-(hetero)aryl,  
 CO-(hetero)arylalkyl, CO-heterocyclyl, CO-Casterisk(R9R10)-NH2,  
 CO-CH2-Casterisk(R9R10)-NH2, -CO-Casterisk(R9R10)-CH2NH2  
 (optionally mono-  
 - tri-substituted by G);  
 R6-R8=H, (cyclo)alkyl or cycloalkylalkyl (preferably H);  
 R9,R10=H, alkyl, natural alpha-amino acid side chain or  
 unnatural  
 alpha-amino acid side chain (preferably H or alkyl);  
 m=0 - 2 (preferably 0).  
 The asterisk indicates a carbon atom of R or S configuration  
 when  
 chiral. INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are included for the following:  
 (1) new 190 triazole compounds (B1) e.g. (R)-N-(1-(5-(2-(1H-  
 indol-3-  
 yl)ethyl)-4-(2,4-dimethoxybenzyl)-4H-1,2,4-triazol-3-yl)-2-(1H-  
 indol-3-  
 yl)ethyl)-2-amino-2-methylpropanamide;  
 (2) a pharmaceutical composition comprising compound (B1).  
 ACTIVITY - Muscular-Gen.; Immunomodulator; Nootropic;  
 Neuroprotective; Anabolic; Eating-Disorders-Gen.; Tranquillizer;  
 Cardiant;  
 CNS-Gen.; Osteopathic; Antiinflammatory; Gastrointestinal-Gen.;  
 Antiulcer;  
 Endocrine-Gen.; Antidepressant; Anorectic; Antidiabetic;  
 Immunosuppressant; Nephrotropic; Neuroleptic; Hemostatic;  
 Cytostatic;  
 Vasotropic; Anti-HIV; Hepatotropic; Respiratory-Gen.; Vulnerary;  
 Hypnotic.  
 (R)-N-(1-(4-(4-Methoxybenzyl)-5-phenethyl-4H-1,2,4-triazol-3-yl)-2-  
 (1H-



indol-3-yl)ethyl)piperidine-4-carboxamide (A) (0.1 micrograms/kg/day by subcutaneous injection) was tested for treatment of cachexia as given in Ibanez I et al. (J Endocrinol. 2000, 165(3):537-544). using a cachexia model system. On day 3, 6, 10, 13, 15 and day 17, the body weight change (g) was -3.02, 2.95, 11.97, 9.32, -2.78 and -8.27 g for the rats with adjuvant induced arthritis+vehicle and was -5.32, 2.98, 14.92, 19.08, 7.05 and 1.47 g arthritis+the compound (A).

MECHANISM OF ACTION - GHS receptor \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* or \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* ; GHS receptors modulator. Motilin receptor-ligand (MTL) binding assay using human recombinant HEK-293 cells were carried out as given in Feighner SD et al. (Science 1999, 284:2184-2188). to test (R)-N-(1-(4-(2,4-dimethoxybenzyl)-5-phenethyl-4H-1,2,4-triazol-3-yl)-2-(1H-indol-3-yl)ethyl)picolinamide. The IC50 value was 1.39  $\mu$ M against MTL-R1a receptor.

USE - In the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment or prophylaxis of physiological and/or pathophysiological conditions (e.g. acute fatigue syndrome and muscle loss following election surgery, adipogenesis, adiposity, age-related decline of thymic function, age-related functional decline (ARFD) in the elderly, aging disorder in companion animals, Alzheimer's disease, anorexia, anxiety, blood pressure (lowering), body weight gain/reduction, bone fracture repair, bone remodeling stimulation, cachexia and protein loss reduction, cardiac dysfunctions, cartilage growth stimulation, catabolic disorders, catabolic side effects of glucocorticoids, catabolic state of aging, central nervous system disorder, chronic dialysis, chronic fatigue syndrome, cognitive function improvement (e.g. Alzheimer's disease), distraction osteogenesis, complications associated with transplantation, congestive heart failure, Crohn's disease, ulcerative colitis, Cushing's syndrome, depressions, frailty, gastric postoperative ileus, glycemic control improvement, growth promotion in livestock, growth retardation associated with the Prader-Willi syndrome and Turner's syndrome, hip fractures, hunger, immune deficiency in individuals with a depressed T4/T8 cell ratio, immune response improvement to vaccination, immune system stimulation in companion animals, immunosuppression, inflammatory bowel disease, diabetes, intrauterine growth retardation, lipodystrophy

(e.g. HIV-induced), metabolic homeostasis maintenance, muscle mass/strength increase, muscular atrophy, Noonan's syndrome, obesity, osteoporosis, postoperative ileus, psychosocial deprivation, pulmonary dysfunction, recovery of burn patients, renal failure, sarcopenia, schizophrenia, sensory function maintenance (e.g. hearing, sight, olfaction and taste), skeletal dysplasia, skin thickness maintenance, sleep disorders, thrombocytopenia, tumor cell proliferation, wasting in connection with AIDS, chronic liver disease, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, multiple sclerosis or secondary to fractures, wound healing in mammals (e.g. human, domestic animals, cattle, livestock, pets, cow, sheep, pig, goat, horse, pony, donkey, hinny, mule, hare, rabbit, cat, dog, guinea pig, hamster, rat, mouse). For wool growth stimulation in sheep (claimed).

ADVANTAGE - The compounds are GHS receptor modulates e.g. GHS receptors e.g. GHS type 1 receptor, GHS-R1a, GHS-R1b, motilin receptor, motilin receptor 1a, neurotensin receptor, TRH receptor, GPR38 (FM1), \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* (FM2), GHS-R subtype, GHS binding site, cardiac GHS-R, mammary GHS-R; resistant to degradation by enzymes of the gastro-intestinal tract and display an improved metabolic stability and bioavailability.

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 CROSS REFERENCE: 2007-373447  
 DOC. NO. CPI: C2007-142598 [37]  
 DOC. NO. NON-CPI: N2007-296329 [37]  
 TITLE: Treatment/prophylaxis of physiological/pathophysiological conditions (e.g. acute fatigue syndrome, adipogenesis and adiposity) mediated by growth hormone secretagogue receptors, comprises administering triazole compounds  
 DERWENT CLASS: B02; B03; C02; S03  
 INVENTOR: BOEGLIN D; DEMANGE L; FEHRENTZ J; MARTINEZ J;  
 MOULIN A;  
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 PATENT ASSIGNEE: (CNRS-C) CENT NAT RECH SCI; (UYMO-N) UNIV  
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NOVELTY - Method for the treatment or prophylaxis of at least one physiological and/or pathophysiological condition in a mammal that is mediated by growth hormone secretagogue (GHS) receptors, comprises administering triazole compounds (I).

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - Method for the treatment or prophylaxis of at least one physiological and/or pathophysiological condition in a mammal that is mediated by growth hormone secretagogue (GHS) receptors, comprises administering triazole compounds of formula (I).

R1, R2 = H, alkenyl, alkynyl, (cyclo)alkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, (hetero)aryl, (hetero)arylalkyl, heterocyclyl, heterocyclylalkyl, alkylsulfonyl, arylsulfonyl or arylalkylsulfonyl (all optionally substituted by up to 3 substituents of halo, F, Cl, Br, I, N3, CN,

NR7R8,

OH, NO2, alkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, O-alkyl, O-aryl or O-arylalkyl); R3, R4 = (hetero)aryl, (hetero)arylalkyl, heterocyclyl, heterocyclylalkyl (by up to 3 substituents of halo, F, Cl, Br, I, N3, CN,

NR7R8, OH, NO2, alkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, O-alkyl, O-aryl or O-arylalkyl),

H, alkyl, alkyl-O-aryl, alkyl-O-arylalkyl, alkyl-O-heteroaryl, alkyl-O-heteroarylalkyl, alkyl-O-heterocyclyl, alkyl-O-heterocyclylalkyl,

alkyl-CO-aryl, alkyl-CO-arylalkyl, alkyl-CO-heteroaryl, alkyl-CO-heteroarylalkyl, alkyl-CO-heterocyclyl, alkyl-CO-heterocyclylalkyl, alkyl-C(O)O-aryl, alkyl-C(O)O-arylalkyl, alkyl-C(O)O-heteroaryl, alkyl-C(O)O-heteroarylalkyl, alkyl-C(O)O-heterocyclyl, alkyl-C(O)O-heterocyclylalkyl, alkyl-CO-NH2, alkyl-

CO-OH,

alkyl-NH2, alkyl-NH-C(N H)-NH2, alkylsulfonyl, arylsulfonyl, arylalkylsulfonyl, alkyl-S-alkyl or alkyl-S-H;

R5 = H, (cyclo)alkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, (hetero)aryl, (hetero)arylalkyl, heterocyclyl, heterocyclylalkyl, CO-alkyl, CO-cycloalkyl, CO-cycloalkylalkyl, CO-aryl, CO-arylalkyl, CO-heteroaryl,

CO-heteroarylalkyl, CO-heterocyclyl, CO-heterocyclylalkyl, CO-C(asterisk)(R9R10)-NH2, CO-CH2-C(asterisk)(R9R10)-NH2, CO-C(asterisk)(R9R10)-CH2-NH2, alkylsulfonyl, arylsulfonyl, arylalkylsulfonyl (all optionally substituted by up to 3

substituents of

halo, F, Cl, Br, I, N3, CN, NR7R8, OH, NO2, alkyl, aryl, arylalkyl,

O-alkyl, O-aryl or O-arylalkyl);  
R6, R7, R8 = H, (cyclo)alkyl or cycloalkylalkyl;  
R9, R10 = H, alkyl or (un)natural alpha-amino acid side chain;  
m = 0-2; and  
asterisk = R or S configuration C when chiral.  
An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is included for a pharmaceutical composition comprising (I) and carrier and/or excipient.  
ACTIVITY - Neuroprotective; Nootropic; Anabolic; Eating-Disorders-Gen.; Tranquillizer; Cardiant; CNS-Gen.; Antiinflammatory;  
Antiulcer; Gastrointestinal-Gen.; Endocrine-Gen.; Antidepressant; Immunostimulant; Immunosuppressive; Antidiabetic; Anorectic; Osteopathic;  
Neuroleptic; Hypnotic; Cytostatic; Vulnerary; Immunomodulator; Vasotropic.  
MECHANISM OF ACTION - GHS receptor modulator; GHS-R1a receptor modulator. (I) were tested for their GHS-R1a modulatory activity using GHS-R1a receptor-ligand binding assays. The results showed that the median inhibitory concentration of (R)-N-(1-(5-(2-(1H-indol-3-yl)ethyl)-4-(4-methoxybenzyl)-4H-1,2,4-triazol-3-yl)-2-(1H-indol-3-yl)ethyl) piperidine-4-carboxamide was 0.3 nM.  
USE - The method is useful for the treatment or prophylaxis of at least one physiological and/or pathophysiological condition in a mammal that is mediated by GHS receptors, where the mammal is e.g. human, domestic animals, pets and cow, and the conditions are e.g. Alzheimer's disease, anorexia, anxiety, blood pressure, cardiac depressant, central nervous system disorders, Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis, Cushing's syndrome, dementia, depressions, immune system stimulation, immunosuppression, inflammation, diabetes, irritable bowel syndrome, Noonan's syndrome, obesity, osteoporosis, postoperative ileus, schizophrenia, sleep disorders, tumor cell proliferation, ventricular dysfunction or reperfusion events, cachexia, wound/burn healing, regulation of energy balance, regulation of food intake or adipogenesis (claimed).  
ADVANTAGE - (I) (strong GHS receptor binder) can be administered at lower doses compared to other less potent binders while still achieving equivalent or even superior desired biological effects. (I) have less or no side effects. (I) have improved metabolic stability and/or an improved bioavailability.

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 TITLE: Alleles and polymorphisms associated with type  
 2 diabetes mellitus and obesity and their  
 diagnostic use  
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AB Genes, SNP markers and haplotypes that are markers of susceptibility or predisposition to type 2 diabetes and obesity and related medical conditions are disclosed. Methods for diagnosis, prediction of clin. course and efficacy of treatments for type 2 diabetes, obesity and related phenotypes using polymorphisms in the risk genes are also disclosed. The genes, gene products and agents of the invention are also useful for monitoring the effectiveness of prevention and treatment of type 2 diabetes and related traits. Kits are also provided for the diagnosis, selecting treatment and assessing prognosis of type 2 diabetes. Novel methods for prevention and 10 treatment of metabolic diseases such as type 2 diabetes based on the disclosed type 2 diabetes genes, polypeptides and related pathways are also disclosed.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 146:354159  
TITLE: Multiplex array useful for assaying protein-protein interaction  
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PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Sentigen Bioscience, Inc., USA  
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 88pp.  
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AB The described invention shows how multiple interactions between two proteins of interest can be detd. by observing activation or lack thereof of intracellular proteins, following interaction of ligand and receptor. Multiplex arrays permit screening of test compds. (e.g., receptors, esp. G protein-coupled receptors) against multiple proteins. A multiplex array comprises: a solid substrate having multiple receptacles each contg. a sample of cells transformed or transfected with (a) a first nucleic acid mol. comprising: (i) a nucleotide sequence encoding a first test protein, (ii) a nucleotide sequence encoding a cleavage site for a protease, and (iii) a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein which activates a reporter gene in the cell; (b) a second nucleic acid mol. comprising: (i) a nucleotide sequence which encodes a second test protein whose interaction with the first test protein in the presence of a test compd. of interest is to be measured and (ii) a nucleotide sequence which encodes a protease specific for the cleavage site, wherein the first test protein differs from other first test proteins in each of the samples and the activity of the reporter gene is used to det. activity of the test proteins. A no. of constructs were prepd. encoding specific G protein-coupled receptors (e.g., human .beta.2 adrenergic receptor) fused through a protease-cleavable linker to the tetracycline controlled transactivator tTA. A second set of constructs were also made encoding .beta. arrestin 2 and the catalytic domain of the tobacco etch virus nuclear inclusion A protease. Plasmids encoding the fusion proteins were transfected

into  
 cells contg. the .beta.-galactosidase gene under control of a tTA  
 dependent promoter. Treatment with \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* increased  
 levels of  
 .beta.-galactosidase activity when both sets of fusion proteins  
 were  
 expressed. A series of adrenergic receptors was tested with two  
 \*\*\*agonists\*\*\* and two \*\*\*antagonists\*\*\* .  
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 TITLE: Mammalian obestatin receptors, \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* ,  
 or  
 ligands in screening for agents modulating  
 obestatin  
 function or for predisposition to obesity, in  
 treating  
 obesity, and in regulating blood pressure and  
 gut  
 motility  
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 US 20070042409 A1 20070222 US 2006-499030  
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 AB A high affinity obestatin receptor is provided; the orphan receptor  
 \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*. The receptor mediates obestatin activities. The  
 obestatin receptor ( \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* ) and fragments thereof, particularly sol.  
 fragments thereof, are useful as therapeutic agents capable of  
 inhibiting the action of obestatin. In addn. to use as a therapeutic agent,  
 \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* polypeptides are utilized in screening and research  
 methods for the detn. of specific analogs, \*\*\*agonists\*\*\*,  
 \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* mimetics and agents that modulate prodn., metab., and disposition  
 of \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* activities. Conditions treatable with \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*  
 \*\*\*agonists\*\*\* or \*\*\*antagonists\*\*\* include regulation of  
 wt., blood pressure and heart rate, and gastric emptying.

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AB Obestatin and ghrelin are two important brain-gut peptides that can  
 combine with their receptors and exert important biological  
 functions.  
 Obestatin is a 76-98 amino acid polypeptide segment of proghrelin  
 that binds to the orphan G-protein-coupled receptor \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*,  
 which can suppress food intake, inhibit jejunal contraction, and decrease

body-weight gain. Ghrelin is a 24-51 amino acid peptide segment of proghrelin that binds to receptor GHS-R, which can enhance appetite and body weight, promote the release of GH, and affect cardiovascular and immune functions. Obestatin is regarded as on biological \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* , or a Yin and Yang activated polypeptide of ghrelin.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2007750209 MEDLINE <<LOGINID::20080428>>  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 17717076  
 TITLE: Importance of constitutive activity and arrestin-independent mechanisms for intracellular trafficking of the ghrelin receptor.  
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AB The ghrelin receptor (GhrelinR) and its related orphan \*\*\*GPR39  
 \*\*\* each display constitutive signaling, but only GhrelinRs undergo basal internalization. Here we investigate these differences by considering the roles of the C tail receptor domains for constitutive internalization and activity. Furthermore the interaction between phosphorylated receptors and beta-arrestin adaptor proteins has been examined. Replacement of the FLAG-tagged GhrelinR C tail with the equivalent \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* domain (GhR-39 chimera) preserved G(q) signaling. However in contrast to the GhrelinR, GhR-39 receptors exhibited no basal and substantially decreased \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* -induced internalization in transiently transfected HEK293 cells. Internalized GhrelinR and GhR-39 were predominantly localized to recycling compartments, identified with transferrin and the monomeric G

proteins Rab5 and Rab11. Both the inverse \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* [d-Arg (1), d-Phe(5), d-Trp(7,9), Leu(11)] substance P and a naturally occurring mutant GhrelinR (A204E) with eliminated constitutive activity inhibited basal GhrelinR internalization. Surprisingly, we found that noninternalizing \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* was highly phosphorylated and that basal and \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* -induced phosphorylation of the GhR-39 chimera was elevated compared with GhrelinRs. Moreover, basal GhrelinR endocytosis occurred without significant phosphorylation, and it was not prevented by cotransfection of a dominant-negative beta-arrestin1(319-418) fragment or by expression in beta-arrestin1/2 double-knockout mouse embryonic fibroblasts. In contrast, \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* -stimulated GhrelinRs recruited the clathrin adaptor green fluorescent protein-tagged beta-arrestin2 to endosomes, coincident with increased receptor phosphorylation. Thus, GhrelinR internalization to recycling compartments depends on C-terminal motifs and constitutive activity, but the high levels of \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* phosphorylation, and of the GhR-39 chimera, are not sufficient to drive endocytosis. In addition, basal GhrelinR internalization occurs independently of beta-arrestins.

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 TITLE: Obestatin acts in brain to inhibit thirst.  
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 AB Derived from the same prohormone, obestatin has been reported to exert effects on food intake that oppose those of ghrelin. The obestatin

receptor \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* is present in brain and pituitary gland. Since the gene encoding those two peptides is expressed also in those tissues, we examined further the possible actions of obestatin in vivo and in vitro. Intracerebroventricular administration of obestatin inhibited water drinking in ad libitum-fed and -watered rats, and in food-and water-deprived animals. The effects on water drinking preceded and were more pronounced than any effect on food intake, and did not appear to be the result of altered locomotor/behavioral activity. In addition, obestatin inhibited ANG II-induced water drinking in animals provided free access to water and food. Current-clamp recordings from cultured, subfornical organ neurons revealed significant effects of the peptide on membrane potential, suggesting this as a potential site of action. In pituitary cell cultures, log molar concentrations of obestatin ranging from 1.0 pM to 100 nM failed to alter basal growth hormone (GH) secretion. In addition, 100 nM obestatin failed to interfere with the stimulation of GH secretion by GH-releasing hormone or ghrelin and did not alter the inhibition by somatostatin in vitro. We conclude that obestatin does not act in pituitary gland to regulate GH secretion but may act in brain to alter thirst mechanisms. Importantly, in rats the effects of obestatin on food intake may be secondary to an action of the peptide to inhibit water drinking.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2007565926 MEDLINE <<LOGINID:20080428>>  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 17885920  
 TITLE: Isolation of Zn2+ as an endogenous \*\*\*agonist\*\*\*  
 of \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* from fetal bovine serum.  
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AB We attempted to determine natural \*\*\*agonists\*\*\* of \*\*\*GPR39  
\*\*\* in fetal bovine serum (FBS). FBS was conditioned to extract peptides  
and fractionated by two types of HPLC. The activity of each fraction  
was monitored by intracellular calcium mobilization. Then the purified  
active ingredient was analyzed by inductively coupled plasma mass  
spectrometry.  
In this fashion, Zn<sup>2+</sup> ion was identified as an \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* of  
\*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*, though no peptidergic molecules were found. The  
calcium-mobilizing activity of Zn<sup>2+</sup> was not abolished by pertussis  
toxin but was by a phospholipase C (PLC) inhibitor, U73122, indicating  
that the activity of \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* is mediated through the Gqalpha-PLC  
pathway.  
In addition, Zn<sup>2+</sup> also activated mouse and rat \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*,  
showing that the function of \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* as a Zn<sup>2+</sup> receptor is  
conserved across species. This study is the first exploration of \*\*\*GPR39  
\*\*\*  
\*\*\*agonists\*\*\* in FBS and indicates that \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*  
functions as a  
Gq-coupled Zn<sup>2+</sup>-sensing receptor.

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ghrelin  
or modify motility in the rat gastrointestinal  
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AB Background and purpose: Obestatin, encoded by the ghrelin gene

may

inhibit gastrointestinal (GI) motility. This activity was  
re-investigated.

Experimental approach: Rat GI motility was studied in vitro

(jejunum

contractility and cholinergically-mediated contractions of

forestomach

evoked by electrical field stimulation; EFS) and in vivo (gastric

emptying

and intestinal myoelectrical activity). Ghrelin receptor function

was

studied using a GTP gamma S assay and transfected cells.

Key results: Contractions of the jejunum or forestomach were  
unaffected by obestatin 100 nM or 0.01-1000 nM, respectively (P >

0.05

each; n = 4-18). Obestatin (0.1-1 nM) reduced the ability of

ghrelin 1 mu

M to facilitate EFS-evoked contractions of the stomach (increases

were

42.7 +/- 7.8% and 21.2 +/- 5.0% in the absence and presence of

obestatin 1

nM; P < 0.05; n=12); higher concentrations (10-1000 nM) tended to

reduce

the response to ghrelin but changes were not statistically

significant.

Similar concentrations of obestatin did not significantly reduce a

facilitation of contractions caused by the 5-HT4 receptor

\*\*\*agonist\*\*\*

prucalopride, although an inhibitory trend occurred at the higher

concentrations (increases were 69.3 +/- 14.0% and 42.6 +/- 8.7% in

the

absence and presence of 1000 nM obestatin; n=10). Obestatin (up to

10 mu

M) did not modulate recombinant ghrelin receptor function. Ghrelin

increased gastric emptying and reduced MMC cycle time; obestatin

(1000 and

30,000 pmol kg(-1) min(-1)) had no effects. Obestatin (2500 pmol

kg-1

min(-1), starting 10 min before ghrelin) did not prevent the

ability of

ghrelin (500 pmol kg(-1) min(-1)) to shorten MMC cycle time.

Conclusions and implications: Obestatin has little ability to

modulate rat GI motility.

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 TITLE: \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* signaling is stimulated by zinc ions  
 but not by obestatin.  
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 AB \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* is an orphan member of the ghrelin receptor family  
 that recently was suggested to be the receptor for obestatin, a peptide  
 derived from the ghrelin precursor. Here, we compare the effect of  
 obestatin to the effect of Zn(2+) on signal transduction and study the effect of  
 obestatin on food intake. Although Zn(2+) stimulated inositol  
 phosphate turnover, cAMP production, arrestin mobilization, as well as cAMP  
 response element-dependent and serum response element-dependent  
 transcriptional activity in \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* -expressing cells as opposed to  
 mock-transfected cells, no reproducible effect was obtained with  
 obestatin in the \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* -expressing cells. Moreover, no specific  
 binding of obestatin could be detected in two different types of \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*  
 -expressing cells using three different radioiodinated forms of  
 obestatin. By quantitative PCR analysis, \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* expression was  
 readily detected in peripheral organs such as duodenum and kidney but not  
 in the pituitary and hypothalamus, i.e. presumed central target organs for  
 obestatin. Obestatin had no significant and reproducible effect on  
 acute food intake in either freely fed or fasted lean mice. It is  
 concluded that \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* is probably not the obestatin receptor. In

contrast,  
the potency and efficacy of Zn(2+) in respect of activating  
signaling  
indicates that this metal ion could be a physiologically relevant  
\*\*\*agonist\*\*\* or modulator of \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*.

L6 ANSWER 14 OF 22 WPIDS COPYRIGHT 2008 THE THOMSON CORP on STN  
DUPLICATE 6  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2006-814717 [82] WPIDS  
DOC. NO. CPI: C2006-257430 [82]  
TITLE: Use of mammalian \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* protein or its  
modulator  
to prepare health-care product or medicine  
combination  
for controlling appetite or pain sensation in  
mammals  
DERWENT CLASS: B04; B07; D16  
INVENTOR: CHUA A O; GOODNOW R A; GUBLER U A; HILTON H; JIN  
M; MARK  
D F; MARTIN M L; PENG Y; ROSINSKI J A; ZHAO G;  
ZHOU X;  
ZOU H; CHUA A; GOODNOW R; GUBLER U; MARK D; MARTIN  
M;  
ROSINSKI J  
PATENT ASSIGNEE: (HOFF-C) HOFFMANN LA ROCHE & CO AG F; (SHAN-N)  
SHANGHAI  
INST BIOLOGICAL SCI CHINESE ACA; (SHAN-N) SHANGHAI  
LIFE  
SCI INST CHINESE ACAD SCI  
COUNTRY COUNT: 112

# PATENT INFO ABBR.:

PATENT NO	KIND	DATE	WEEK	LA	PG	MAIN IPC
WO 2006111103	A1	20061026	(200682)*	ZH	31[5]	
CN 1850269	A	20061025	(200714)	ZH		
EP 1880730	A1	20080123	(200812)	EN		

# APPLICATION DETAILS:

PATENT NO	KIND	APPLICATION	DATE
WO 2006111103	A1	WO 2006-CN772	20060424
CN 1850269	A	CN 2005-10025323	20050422
EP 1880730	A1	EP 2006-722399	20060424
EP 1880730	A1	WO 2006-CN772	20060424

# FILING DETAILS:

PATENT NO	KIND	PATENT NO
EP 1880730	A1 Based on	WO 2006111103 A

PRIORITY APPLN. INFO: CN 2005-10025323 20050422  
AN 2006-814717 [82] WPIDS  
AB WO 2006111103 A1 UPAB: 20061222  
NOVELTY - Use of mammalian \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* protein or its  
modulator to  
prepare health-care product or medicine combination for controlling



appetite or pain sensation of mammals, is new.  
 DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are included for  
 the following:  
 (1) a health-care product or medicine combination for  
 controlling appetite or pain sensation, containing the mammalian \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*  
 protein and a carrier; and  
 (2) identifying inhibitors of \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* expression  
 useful for reducing appetite or pain sensation, comprising inserting  
 \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* cDNA into an expression vector, transfecting mammalian cells with  
 the vector, contacting the cells with test compounds, and measuring  
 \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* protein expression.  
 ACTIVITY - Analgesic; Anorectic.  
 No biological data given.  
 MECHANISM OF ACTION - \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* modulator.  
 USE - The mammalian \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* protein or its modulator  
 is useful for preparing health-care product or medicine combination  
 for controlling appetite or pain sensation of mammals (claimed).

L6 ANSWER 15 OF 22 WPIDS COPYRIGHT 2008 THE THOMSON CORP on STN  
 DUPLICATE 7  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2006-414788 [42] WPIDS  
 DOC. NO. CPI: C2006-130851 [42]  
 DOC. NO. NON-CPI: N2006-343464 [42]  
 TITLE: Identifying compounds for modulating  
 gastrointestinal kinetics and/or cholesterol metabolism, comprises  
 using G-protein coupled receptor 39 protein  
 DERWENT CLASS: B04; D16; J04; S03  
 INVENTOR: COULIE B; DEPOORTERE I; DEPOORTERE I I T; MOECHARS  
 D;  
 T; MOECHARS D W E; MOREAUX B; MOREAUX B C J; PEETERS  
 PEETERS T L; PEETERS T L H; BENOITCHRISTIAN J M;  
 DIEDERIK W E M; INGE I T D; THEOPHIEL L H P  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE: (JANC-C) JANSSEN PHARM NV  
 COUNTRY COUNT: 112

PATENT INFO ABBR.:

PATENT NO	KIND	DATE	WEEK	LA	PG	MAIN IPC
WO 2006058889	A1	20060608	(200642)*	EN	76[5]	
EP 1820026	A1	20070822	(200757)	EN		
NO 2007003294	A	20070829	(200765)	NO		
AU 2005311321	A1	20060608	(200780)	EN		
IN 2007DN04095	P1	20070824	(200780)	EN		
KR 2007086003	A	20070827	(200807)	KO		

APPLICATION DETAILS:

PATENT NO	KIND	APPLICATION	DATE
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WO 2006058889 A1	WO 2005-EP56350 20051130
AU 2005311321 A1	AU 2005-311321 20051130
EP 1820026 A1	EP 2005-817427 20051130
EP 1820026 A1	WO 2005-EP56350 20051130
NO 2007003294 A	WO 2005-EP56350 20051130
IN 2007DN04095 P1	WO 2005-EP56350 20051130
IN 2007DN04095 P1	IN 2007-DN4095 20070530
NO 2007003294 A	NO 2007-3294 20070628
KR 2007086003 A	WO 2005-EP56350 20051130
KR 2007086003 A	KR 2007-713092 20070611

# FILING DETAILS:

PATENT NO	KIND		PATENT NO
EP 1820026	A1	Based on	WO 2006058889 A
AU 2005311321	A1	Based on	WO 2006058889 A
KR 2007086003	A	Based on	WO 2006058889 A

PRIORITY APPLN. INFO: EP 2004-106220 20041201

AN 2006-414788 [42] WPIDS

AB WO 2006058889 A1 UPAB: 20060703

NOVELTY - Identifying compounds that modulate gastrointestinal kinetics

and/or cholesterol metabolism comprises using all or part of the G-protein

coupled receptor (GPR)39 protein.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included

for:

(1) an isolated nucleic acid sequence selected from:

(i) a nucleic acid sequence encoding all or part of the

polypeptides of SEQ ID NOS: 2 or 4, not given in the specification;

(ii) a nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NOS: 1 or 3, not

given in

the specification; or

(iii) a nucleic acid sequence having at least 80% sequence

identity

to the nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NOS: 1 or 3;

(2) a vector comprising a nucleic acid sequence;

(3) a host cell comprising a nucleic acid sequence or a

vector; and

(4) a pharmaceutical composition, for the treatment of

delayed

gastric emptying and delayed colonic motility in a human or animal, comprising a \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* receptor \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\*, or a

pharmaceutical composition, for the treatment of increased gastric emptying and increased colonic motility in a human or animal,

comprising a

\*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* \*\*\*agonist\*\*\*, or a pharmaceutical composition,

for the

treatment of increased cholesterol levels in a human or animal,

comprising

a \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* receptor \*\*\*agonist\*\*\*.

ACTIVITY - Gastrointestinal-Gen.; Anorectic; Antidiabetic; Cardiovascular-Gen.; Antiarteriosclerotic; Metabolic. No biological

data

given.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* receptor

\*\*\*antagonist\*\*\*

;   \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*       \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* .  
           USE -   \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*   is used to identify compounds that  
 modulate  
           gastrointestinal kinetics and/or cholesterol metabolism. A  
 \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*  
           \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\*   is useful in manufacturing a medicament for  
 the  
           treatment of a disease condition related to delayed gastric  
 emptying and  
           delayed colonic motility. The   \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*       \*\*\*agonist\*\*\*   is  
 useful  
           in manufacturing a medicament for the treatment of a disease  
 condition  
           related to increased gastric emptying, increased colonic motility,  
 or  
           increased cholesterol levels (all claimed). The method is useful  
 for  
           identifying compounds that modulate gastrointestinal kinetics  
 and/or  
           cholesterol. The compounds, compositions, and methods are useful  
 for  
           treating a disease, e.g. obesity, diabetes, or cardiovascular  
 diseases  
           such as atherosclerosis.

L6   ANSWER 16 OF 22   CAPLUS   COPYRIGHT 2008 ACS on STM  
 ACCESSION NUMBER:       2006:1097408   CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20080428>>  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER:       145:433261  
 TITLE:                 Human marker genes and agents for diagnosis,  
 treatment  
                               and prophylaxis of cardiovascular disorders and  
                               atherosclerosis  
 INVENTOR(S):           Betz, Ulrich; D'Urso, Donatella; Kolkhof,  
 Peter;  
                               Seewald, Michael; Strayle, Jochen; Grabner,  
 Anne;  
                               Hannus, Michael  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):   Bayer Healthcare A.-G., Germany  
 SOURCE:                PCT Int. Appl., 84pp.  
                               CODEN: PIXXD2  
 DOCUMENT TYPE:         Patent  
 LANGUAGE:              English  
 FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 4  
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KR,	GE, GH, GM, HR, HU, ID, IL, IN, IS, JP, KE, KG, KM, KN, KP,				
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SE,  
VC, SG, SK, SL, SM, SY, TJ, TM, TN, TR, TT, TZ, UA, UG, US, UZ,  
VN, YU, ZA, ZM, ZW  
RW: AT, BE, BG, CH, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, HU,  
IE, IS, IT, LT, LU, LV, MC, NL, PL, PT, RO, SE, SI, SK, TR, BF,  
BJ, CF, CG, CI, CM, GA, GN, GQ, GW, ML, MR, NE, SN, TD, TG, BW,  
GH, GM, KE, LS, MW, MZ, NA, SD, SL, SZ, TZ, UG, ZM, ZW, AM, AZ,  
BY, KG, KZ, MD, RU, TJ, TM, AP, EA, EP, OA

PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: US 2005-671832P P  
20050415

AB The invention relates to novel targets in the screening for compds.  
useful

in the treatment and/or prophylaxis of a disease selected from the  
group

comprising cardiovascular diseases, disorders of lipid metab. or  
atherosclerosis. A human druggable genome siRNA library was  
screened in a

cellular assay based on expression of LDL receptor as measured by  
binding

of LDL-DiI in Huh7 hepatoma cells. Screening data and gene-  
specific

information is provided for 467 siRNAs targeting 467 different  
genes,

selected as positives from the total no. of screened genes. The  
invention

relates to novel compds. for use as a medicament for diseases or  
conditions involving a disease selected from the group comprising  
cardiovascular diseases, disorders of lipid metab., or  
atherosclerosis.

The invention esp. relates to \*\*\*antagonists\*\*\* and  
expression-inhibitory compds. that target G-protein coupled  
receptors

(GPCRs), kinases, and proteases. The invention further relates to  
methods

for identifying these \*\*\*antagonists\*\*\* and expression-  
inhibitory

comps., and methods for diagnosing the selected diseases.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005-284988 [29] WPIDS

DOC. NO. CPI: C2005-088413 [29]

DOC. NO. NON-CPI: N2005-233785 [29]

TITLE: Screening substance having e.g. apoptosis  
induction

activity by contacting test substance and cell  
expressing

G protein coupled receptors (approximately 75)

e.g. GPR91  
and CD97, and detecting effect of substance on

receptor

DERWENT CLASS: B04; D16; S03

INVENTOR: KASHIWAKURA J; KAWAI H; MIURA K; OBAYASHI M;  
OKAYAMA Y;

SAITO H; SASAKI K; YOSHIDA T  
PATENT ASSIGNEE: (KYOW-C) KYOWA HAKKO KOGYO KK; (RIKE-C) RIKEN KK

COUNTRY COUNT: 106

PATENT INFO ABBR.:

PATENT NO	KIND	DATE	WEEK	LA	PG	MAIN IPC
WO 2005028667	A1	20050331	(200529)*	JA	82(0)	
JP 2005514139	X	20061130	(200681)	JA	81	

APPLICATION DETAILS:

PATENT NO	KIND	APPLICATION	DATE
WO 2005028667	A1	WO 2004-JP14136	20040921
JP 2005514139	X	WO 2004-JP14136	20040921
JP 2005514139	X	JP 2005-514139	20040921

FILING DETAILS:

PATENT NO	KIND	PATENT NO
JP 2005514139	X	Based on WO 2005028667 A

PRIORITY APPLN. INFO: JP 2003-328980 20030919

AN 2005-284988 [29] WPIDS

AB WO 2005028667 A1 UPAB: 20051222

NOVELTY - Screening substance having apoptosis induction, human mast cell activation inhibition, degranulation suppression, suppression of production of inflammatory mediator, suppression of cytokine production or suppression of chemokine production activity, by contacting test substance and cell expressing G protein coupled receptor (GPCR) chosen from approximately 75 receptors e.g. GPR91, GPR105 and CD97, and detecting effect of substance on receptor.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included

for:

(1) screening (M1b) a substance capable of controlling the glucocorticoid activity, involves contacting a test substance and a cell or a membrane fraction containing the cell expressing a receptor (R2) preferably GPCR expressed on human mast cells the expression level of which is modulated by the stimulation of glucocorticoid and chosen from complement component 3 receptor 1 (C3aR1), GPR34, beta2 adrenoreceptor (beta2), GPR105, TM7SF, fMLP1, P2Y8, A3, CRTH2, CCRL2, P2Y5, A2a, Epstein-Barr virus inducing gene 2 (EBI2), thrombin receptor (PAR1), H4, GPCR RE2 (RE2), CALCRL and EP4, and detecting the effect of the test substance on the receptor;

(2) method for performing an activity chosen from A1,

involves utilizing \*\*\*agonist\*\*\*, \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* or functional modulator

of R1 or siRNA or antisense DNA specific to a gene which suppresses the expression of R1;

(3) treating (M2) atopic dermatitis, asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases (COPD) or allergic disease, involves utilizing \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* , \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* or functional modulator of R1 or siRNA or antisense DNA specific to a gene which suppresses the expression of R1;

(4) controlling glucocorticoid activity, involves utilizing \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* , \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* or functional modulator of R2 or siRNA or antisense DNA specific to a gene which suppresses the expression of R2;

(5) pharmaceutical (I) for performing any one of A1 or for atopic dermatitis, asthma, COPD or allergic disease, comprising \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* , \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* or functional modulator of R1 or siRNA or antisense DNA specific to a gene which suppresses the expression of R1 as an active ingredient;

(6) agent (II) for controlling glucocorticoid activity, comprising \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* , \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* or functional modulator of R2 or siRNA or antisense DNA specific to a gene which suppresses the expression of R2 as an active ingredient;

(7) use of \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* , \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* or functional modulator (III) of R1 for manufacturing a medicament for treating atopic dermatitis, asthma, COPD or allergic disease;

(8) antibody (IV) capable of specifically reacting with R1 and having an activity chosen from A1;

(9) antibody (V) capable of controlling the glucocorticoid activity and specifically reacting with R2;

(10) pharmaceutical (Ia) for performing any one of A1 or for atopic dermatitis, asthma, COPD or allergic disease, comprising (IV) as an active ingredient; and

(11) agent (IIa) for controlling glucocorticoid activity, comprising (V) as an active ingredient.

ACTIVITY - Dermatological; Antiasthmatic; Respiratory-Gen.; Antiallergic.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - Antisense therapy; Modulation of R1 or R2;

Mast cell activation inhibitor.

No biological data given.

USE - (M1) is useful for screening substance having one or more activity chosen from apoptosis induction, human mast cell

activation  
inhibition, degranulation suppression, suppression of production of  
inflammatory mediator, suppression of cytokine production and  
suppression  
of chemokine production. (M1b) is useful for screening a substance  
capable  
of controlling the glucocorticoid activity. (M2), (I) or (Ia) is  
useful  
for treating atopic dermatitis, asthma, chronic obstructive  
pulmonary  
diseases (COPD) or allergic disease. (II) or (IIa) is useful for  
controlling glucocorticoid activity. (III) is useful for  
manufacturing a  
medicament for treating atopic dermatitis asthma, COPD or allergic  
disease  
(claimed).

L6 ANSWER 18 OF 22 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2008 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005:1170516 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20080428>>  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 143:432610  
TITLE: Methods for screening \*\*\*antagonists\*\*\*  
and/or \*\*\*agonists\*\*\* of binding of G protein-  
coupled receptor \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* and ligands involved  
in cholesterol metabolism  
INVENTOR(S): Fujii, Ryo; Nishi, Kazunori; Tanaka, Yasuhiro;  
Mori, Masaaki  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited, Japan  
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 137 pp.  
CODEN: PIXXD2  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
LANGUAGE: Japanese  
FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1  
PATENT INFORMATION:

PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
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KZ,	LC, LK, LR, LS, LT, LU, LV, MA, MD, MG, MK, MN, MW, MX, MZ,			
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 EP 1743944 A1 20070117 EP 2005-736916  
 20050422 R: AT, BE, BG, CH, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, HU,  
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 US 20070117160 A1 20070524 US 2006-587285  
 20061019  
 PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: JP 2004-128169 A  
 20040423 WO 2005-JP8271 W

20050422  
 AB Disclosed is a method for screening an \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* /  
 \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\*, etc. In particular, there is provided, for  
 example, a  
 method of screening an \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* or \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\*  
 characterized by use of a G-protein-conjugated receptor protein  
 contg. an  
 amino acid sequence identical with or substantially identical with  
 the  
 amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1 or a salt thereof together with  
 a  
 substance assocd. with cholesterol metab. so as to effect screening  
 of an  
 \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* or \*\*\*antagonist\*\*\* as for the above receptor  
 protein  
 or salt thereof. The \*\*\*agonists\*\*\* and/or \*\*\*antagonists\*\*\*  
 are  
 useful for diagnosis and treatment of diseases assocd. with  
 alteration of  
 binding of G protein-coupled receptor \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* with  
 cholesterol  
 metab.-related substance or their signal transduction change. The  
 \*\*\*agonists\*\*\* and \*\*\*antagonists\*\*\* include antibodies,  
 polynucleotides, antisense polynucleotide and other compds. He  
 disease  
 includes inflammatory bowel disease, gastrointestinal motility  
 disorder,  
 allergic gastrointestinal symptom, encopresis, colitis, excessive  
 immune  
 response post-transplant, Crohn's disease and related vomiting.  
 REFERENCE COUNT: 8 THERE ARE 8 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE  
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L6 ANSWER 19 OF 22 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2008 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2004:965483 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20080428>>  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 141:388614  
 TITLE: Novel screening method  
 INVENTOR(S): Ito, Yasuaki; Fujii, Ryo; Kobayashi, Makoto;  
 Hinuma,  
 Shuji; Hashimoto, Tadatoshi; Tanaka, Yasuhiro  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited, Japan  
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 176 pp.  
 CODEN: PIXXD2



DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
 LANGUAGE: Japanese  
 FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1  
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JP 2004340957	A	20041202	JP 2004-128141	
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EP 1619499	A1	20060125	EP 2004-729276	
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US 20060216286	A1	20060928	US 2005-552014	
20051012				
PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.:			JP 2003-122464	A
20030425			WO 2004-JP5947	W
20040423				
AB	By using a G protein-coupled receptor protein having an amino acid sequence which is the same or substantially the same as the amino acid sequence represented by SEQ ID NO:1 or its salt and an ion chem. available metal element or its salt, an ***agonist*** or an ***antagonist*** to the above receptor protein or its salt can be efficiently screened.			
REFERENCE COUNT:	7	THERE ARE 7 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS		
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2004:371064 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20080428>>  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 140:373461  
 TITLE: Evaluation of breast cancer states and outcomes  
 using  
 gene expression profiles  
 INVENTOR(S): West, Mike; Nevins, Joseph R.; Huang, Andrew  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Synpac, Inc., USA; Duke University  
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 799 pp.  
 CODEN: PIXXD2  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
 LANGUAGE: English  
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US 20040083084	A1	20040429	US 2002-291878	
20021112				
WO 2004044839	A2	20040527	WO 2002-US38216	
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AB	The present invention relates generally to a method for evaluating		
and/or	predicting breast cancer states and outcomes by measuring gene and		
	metagene expression levels and integrating such data with clin.		
risk	factors. Genes and metagenes whose expressions are correlated with		
a	particular breast cancer risk factor or phenotype are provided		
using	binary prediction tree modeling. The invention provides 175 genes		
assocd.	with metagene predictors of lymph node metastasis, 216 genes		
assocd. with	metagene predictors of breast cancer recurrence, and 496 metagenes		
related	to breast cancer study. Methods of using the subject genes and		
metagenes	in diagnosis and treatment methods, as well as drug screening		
methods, etc	are also provided. In addn., reagents, media and kits that find		
use in	practicing the subject methods are also provided.		

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 AB Three members of the ghrelin receptor family were characterized in  
 parallel: the ghrelin receptor, the neurotensin receptor 2 and the  
 orphan receptor \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\*. In transiently transfected COS-7 and  
 human embryonic kidney 293 cells, all three receptors displayed a high  
 degree of ligand-independent signaling activity. The structurally homologous  
 motilin receptor served as a constitutively silent control; upon  
 \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* stimulation, however, it signaled with a similar  
 efficacy to the three related receptors. The constitutive activity of the  
 ghrelin receptor and of neurotensin receptor 2 through the G(q),  
 phospholipase C pathway was approximately 50% of their maximal capacity as  
 determined through inositol phosphate accumulation. These two receptors also  
 showed very high constitutive activity in activation of cAMP response  
 element-driven transcription. \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* displayed a clear  
 but lower degree of constitutive activity through the inositol phosphate and  
 cAMP response element pathways. In contrast, \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* signaled  
 with the highest constitutive activity in respect of activation of serum  
 response element-dependent transcription, in part, possibly, through G  
 (12/13) and Rho kinase. Antibody feeding experiments demonstrated that the  
 epitope-tagged ghrelin receptor was constitutively internalized but

could  
 be trapped at the cell surface by an inverse \*\*\*agonist\*\*\* ,  
 whereas  
 \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* remained at the cell surface. Mutational analysis  
 showed  
 that the constitutive activity of both the ghrelin receptor and  
 \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* could systematically be tuned up and down depending  
 on the  
 size and hydrophobicity of the side chain in position VI:16 in the  
 context  
 of an aromatic residue at VII:09 and a large hydrophobic residue at  
 VII:06. It is concluded that the three ghrelin-like receptors  
 display an  
 unusually high degree of constitutive activity, the structural  
 basis for  
 which is determined by an aromatic cluster on the inner face of the  
 extracellular ends of TMs VI and VII.

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NOVELTY - Methods of predicting mutations (mut.s) that alter the activity

of a receptor (rec.) in a desired manner, comp. utilizing multiple sequence alignment and phylogenetic profiling to identify the relatives of

a given rec. that are most likely to provide useful data allowing prediction of sites to mutate in the given rec., are new.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are included for the

following:

(1) a method (I) of predicting a site for mut. of a first cellular

rec. (CR) (CR1) (the mut. alters the activity of CR1), comp.:

(a) performing a multiple sequence alignment of CR1 with other CRs

in the same rec. family;

(b) allocating CR1 to a rec. sub-family; and

(c) selecting an amino acid (aa) residue of CR1 for mut.

(the aa residue is analogous to a residue of a second rec., the mut. of which is

known to cause altered activity of a second CR (CR2), this is predictive

of a site for mut. in CR1);

(2) a method (II) of obtaining a mutant of a CR1 (the mutant has

altered activity as compared to the WT CR1), comp.:

(i) steps (a) - (c) from (I);

(ii) mutating the selected aa residue of the CR; and

(iii) expressing the mut'd CR in a cell;

(3) a mutated (mut'd) GPR8 rec. comprising (comp.) altered activity

as compared to a wild type (WT) GPR8 rec. (the GPR8 rec. comprises a mut.

selected from a mut. at aa 124 from Asp to Ala, a mut. at aa 127 from Asp

to Ala and/or a mut. at aa 259 from Thr to Glu);

(4) a mut'd GPR7 rec. comp. altered activity as compared to a WT

GPR7 rec. (the GPR7 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at

aa 116 from Asp to Ala, a mut. at aa 119 from Asn to Ala and/or a mut. at

aa 250 from Thr to Glu);

(5) a mut'd GPR10 rec. comp. altered activity as compared to a WT

GPR10 rec. (the GPR10 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at

aa 224 from Tyr to Glu, and/or a mut. at aa 247 from Val to Glu);

(6) a mut'd GPR17 rec. comp. altered activity as compared to a WT

GPR17 rec. (the GPR17 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at

aa 114 from Asn to Ala and/or a mut. at aa 234 from Val to Glu);

(7) a mut'd GPR4 rec. comp. altered activity as compared to a WT

GPR4 rec. (the GPR4 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at

aa 100  
     from Asn to Ala and/or a mut. at aa 223 from Lys to Glu);  
         (8) a mut'd GPR15 rec. comp. altered activity as compared to  
 a WT  
     GPR15 rec. (the GPR15 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 116  
     from Asn to Ala and/or a mut. at aa 240 from Ile to Glu);  
         (9) a mut'd GPR20 rec. comp. altered activity as compared to  
 a WT  
     GPR20 rec. (the GPR20 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 133  
     from Asn to Ala and/or a mut. at aa 230 from Ile to Glu);  
         (10) a mut'd EB12 rec. comp. altered activity as compared to  
 a WT  
     EB12 rec. (the EB12 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 114  
     from Asn to Ala and/or a mut. at aa 243 from Leu to Glu);  
         (11) a mut'd BONZO rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     BONZO rec. (the BONZO rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 112  
     from Asn to Ala and/or a mut. at aa 230 from Leu to Glu);  
         (12) a mut'd RDC1 rec. comp. altered activity as compared to  
 a WT  
     RDC1 rec. (the RDC1 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 127  
     from Asn to Ala and/or a mut. at aa 259 from Thr to Glu);  
         (13) a mut'd O15218 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     O15218 rec. (the O15218 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut.  
 at aa  
     136 from Asn to Ala and/or a mut. at aa 257 from Cys to Glu);  
         (14) a mut'd H963 rec. comp. altered activity as compared to  
 a WT  
     H963 rec. (the H963 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 97  
     from Asn to Ala and/or a mut. at aa 222 from Leu to Glu);  
         (15) a mut'd GPR30 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR30 rec. (the GPR30 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 140  
     from Asn to Ala and/or a mut. at aa 258 from Leu to Glu);  
         (16) a mut'd GPR2 rec. comp. altered activity as compared to  
 a WT  
     GPR2 rec. (the GPR2 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 238  
     from Leu to Glu);  
         (17) a mut'd GPR5 rec. comp. altered activity as compared to  
 a WT  
     GPR5 rec. (the GPR5 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 224  
     from Val to Glu);  
         (18) a mut'd GPR13 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR13 rec. (the GPR13 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 230  
     from Ile to Glu);  
         (19) a mut'd GPR18 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR18 rec. (the GPR18 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at

aa 231  
     from Ile to Glu);  
         (20) a mut'd GPR21 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR21 rec. (the GPR21 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 251  
     from Ala to Glu);  
         (21) a mut'd GPR22 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR22 rec. (the GPR22 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 312  
     from phenylAla to Glu);  
         (22) a mut'd GPR25 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR25 rec. (the GPR25 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 230  
     from Leu to Glu);  
         (23) a mut'd GPR31 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR31 rec. (the GPR31 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 221  
     from glutamine to Glu);  
         (24) a mut'd GPR38 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR38 rec. (the GPR38 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 297  
     from Val to Glu);  
         (25) a mut'd \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* rec. comp. altered activity as  
         compared to a WT \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* rec. (the \*\*\*GPR39\*\*\* rec.  
 comprises  
         a mut. selected from a mut. at aa 282 from Ile to Glu);  
         (26) a mut'd GPR40 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR40 rec. (the GPR40 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 223  
     from Ala to Glu);  
         (27) a mut'd GPR41 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR41 rec. (the GPR41 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 224  
     from Ala to Glu);  
         (28) a mut'd GPR42 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR42 rec. (the GPR42 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 224  
     from Ala to Glu);  
         (29) a mut'd GPR43 rec. comp. altered activity as compared  
 to a WT  
     GPR43 rec. (the GPR43 rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at  
 aa 221  
     from Val to Glu);  
         (30) a mut'd MGR rec. comp. altered activity as compared to  
 a WT  
     MGR rec. (the MGR rec. comprises a mut. selected from a mut. at aa  
 263  
     from Tyr to Glu); and  
         (31) a method (III) of identifying a compound that modulates  
 the  
     activity of the rec.s above, comp.:  
         (A) contacting a candidate compound with the rec.; and



(B) determining the activity of the rec. in the presence of the compound (a difference in rec. activity in the presence and absence of the candidate compound is indicative of compound modulation).

USE - The methods are applicable to any type of rec., and are particularly well suited for predicting sites to mutate in order to alter the activities of orphan rec.s for which no \*\*\*agonists\*\*\* are known.

In particular, the method is used to predict cellular rec. mut.s that induce the rec. to constitutively activate it's downstream signaling activities.

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